

# CHILE SEEKS TO RAISE \$50,000,000 LOAN

## Funds Now Scarce as Chemists Break Nitrate Monopoly

By JOHN COLLINS

The chemist is raising hob with one of the greatest natural monopolies in the world. Chile, it now appears, is trying to raise \$50,000,000 here to offset the loss in revenue from her nitrate exports. In 1914 Chile supplied 73 per cent. of the world's nitrates. She now supplies about 25 per cent.

For years Chile's natural deposits of nitrates, supplying agriculture in all parts of the world with fertilizer, was the country's principal source of income. Since this commodity could be supplied nowhere else, the price naturally was sufficiently high to insure fine profits.

### Nitrates From Air

However, during the war a German, Dr. Fritz Haber, discovered a method of taking nitrates from the air. This method was perfected for the purpose of making explosives in which nitrates largely figure. The result was that after hostilities ceased the Germans were able to start manufacturing them for fertilizer on a large scale and cheaply.

Simultaneously plants were started here at Niagara Falls and Muscle Shoals. The result has been the manufacture of fertilizer synthetically by the chemist on a commercial scale and at a price below that of the natural product from Chile.

It is only another case of man learning to put together substances for which in the past he had to rely on the whims of nature. Possibly the Chilean nitrate monopoly will go the way of the indigo industry in India, and others which the chemist has put out of business.

## Valentino Spurned By His First Love

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me such a pummelling and trouncing and scratching as quite battered my premature passion out of me.

I crept away, scared and disillusioned. I would have no more of love, forsooth! I was done with women! I would stick to the eminently more satisfactory company of my own kind, my own sex!

All these things and many more came back to me in those first few minutes with Maria. We kept up a constant battery of, "Do you remember this?" and "Oh, do you remember that?" Now and then the ready tears would come because of a memory shared in sadness.

Since my mother passed away, Maria has gone through a lot of suffering. She was left quite alone at my mother's death. My brother is married and living quite a distance from her and such relatives as we have in Italy were distant connections and not especially congenial.

Laugh again with the "Great Lover" in tomorrow's GRAPHIC. He arranges a special showing of "The Four Horsemen" especially for his sister, who had never seen the "sheik" on the screen. Triumph at last! The picture brought to her face that look of admiration and respect that all his youthful pranks had failed to do. Read of his plans for her future. Told in tomorrow's GRAPHIC.

### MISS LAIDLAW TO WED

Miss Doris Laidlaw will be married to Stuart M. Sperry on November 3.

## No Rent Drop Seen As Prosperity Continues

Rents are holding firm and it is highly probable that the building industry will continue to operate at its present high level at least to January 1, predicts the North American Mortgage and Building Corporation in the current number of its Mortgage Bulletin and Investment News.

Back of this condition in the building industry, the News explains, is an unparalleled general prosperity.

## STOCK MARKET BAROMETER

Prev. Close.	Stock.	Open.	2.30	Net Ch'ge.
137 1/2	Al Chem	138 1/4	141 1/4	+ 4 1/2
53 3/4	Am Can.	53 3/4	54	+ 1/2
105	Am Loco	104 1/4	104 1/2	- 1/2
144 1/2	Am Smelt	144 1/2	145 1/4	+ 1/2
48 1/2	Anaconda	48 1/2	49	+ 1/2
155	Atchison	153 1/4	155	+ 1 1/2
116	Baldwin	115 1/2	116 1/2	+ 1/2
107	B & O	106 1/4	106 3/4	+ 1/4
50	Beth Steel	49 3/4	50 1/2	+ 1/2
32 1/2	Cal Pet.	32 1/2	32 1/2	+ 1/2
169 1/2	Ches & O	169 1/2	169	- 1/2
63	C R I & P	62 1/4	63 1/4	+ 1/2
33 1/2	Chrysler	33 1/2	33 3/4	+ 1/2
106 1/4	Con Gas	106 1/4	106 3/4	+ 1/2
44	Corn Prod	44 1/4	44 3/4	+ 1/2
27 1/2	Dodge Bros	27 1/2	27 1/2	- 1/4
315	Du Pont	314	315 1/4	+ 1/4
112 1/2	Fam Play	112	111 1/2	- 1 1/2
94	Foundat'n	95	94 1/2	+ 1/2
80 1/2	Gen Asph	79 3/4	81 1/4	+ 1 1/2
86	Gen Elec	86 1/2	87 1/4	+ 1 1/4
158	Gen Mot.	157	158 1/2	+ 1 1/2
52	Hud Mot.	51 1/2	51 3/4	+ 1/4
44	In C Eng	43 1/2	43 1/2	- 1/2
20 1/2	Lago Oil	20 1/2	20 3/4	+ 1/2
107 1/2	Mack Trk	107 3/4	109 1/4	+ 1 3/4
56 1/2	Marl Oil	56 1/4	56 1/2	+ 1/2
61 1/2	Mont Ward	60 1/2	61 1/2	+ 1/2
58 1/4	Nash Mot	58 1/2	58 1/2	+ 1/2
94 1/2	Nat Bis.	95	95 1/4	+ 1/2
142 1/2	N Y Cent	142 1/2	143 1/2	+ 1/2
194	NYC & SL	194	194	+ 1/2
53	No Amer.	52 1/2	52 1/2	- 1/2
66 1/2	P A Pet B	66 1/2	66 3/4	+ 1/4
109	Pere Mar	110 1/2	111 1/2	+ 2 1/2
26 1/2	Pierce Ar	26	27	+ 1/2
105 1/2	Post Cer.	105 3/4	106 1/4	+ 3/4
47	Radio Cor	47 1/2	47 3/4	+ 1/2
42 1/2	Std Oil NJ	42 1/2	42 3/4	+ 1/2
58	Studebaker	58 1/4	58 1/2	+ 1/2
54 1/2	Texas Co.	54 1/2	54	- 1/2
116 1/2	Tex G Sul	116 1/2	116 3/4	+ 1 1/4
79 1/2	U S In Alc	79 3/4	80	+ 1/2
61 1/2	U S Rub.	61 1/2	61 1/2	+ 1/2
143 1/2	U S Steel	142 1/2	145	+ 2 1/2
50 1/2	War Pic A	51	48 1/2	- 1 1/2
23	Willys Ov.	22 1/2	23 1/2	+ 1/2
159	Woolw'th	158 1/4	159 1/4	+ 1 1/4

The market firmed up around noon today, leading issues turning losses into gains. U. S. Steel reached 145, for a gain of more than a point. General Motors and du Pont gained fractionally.

Call money renewed at 5 1/2 per cent.

Allied Chemical was a feature on the up side, pushing its way through 141 for a gain of four or more.

Warner Pictures hugged 48, after losing two or three points in an opening assault.

Mack Truck swung around after several days of weakness and piled up a gain of more than a point.

Hudson continued to lag below 52, with a fractional loss.

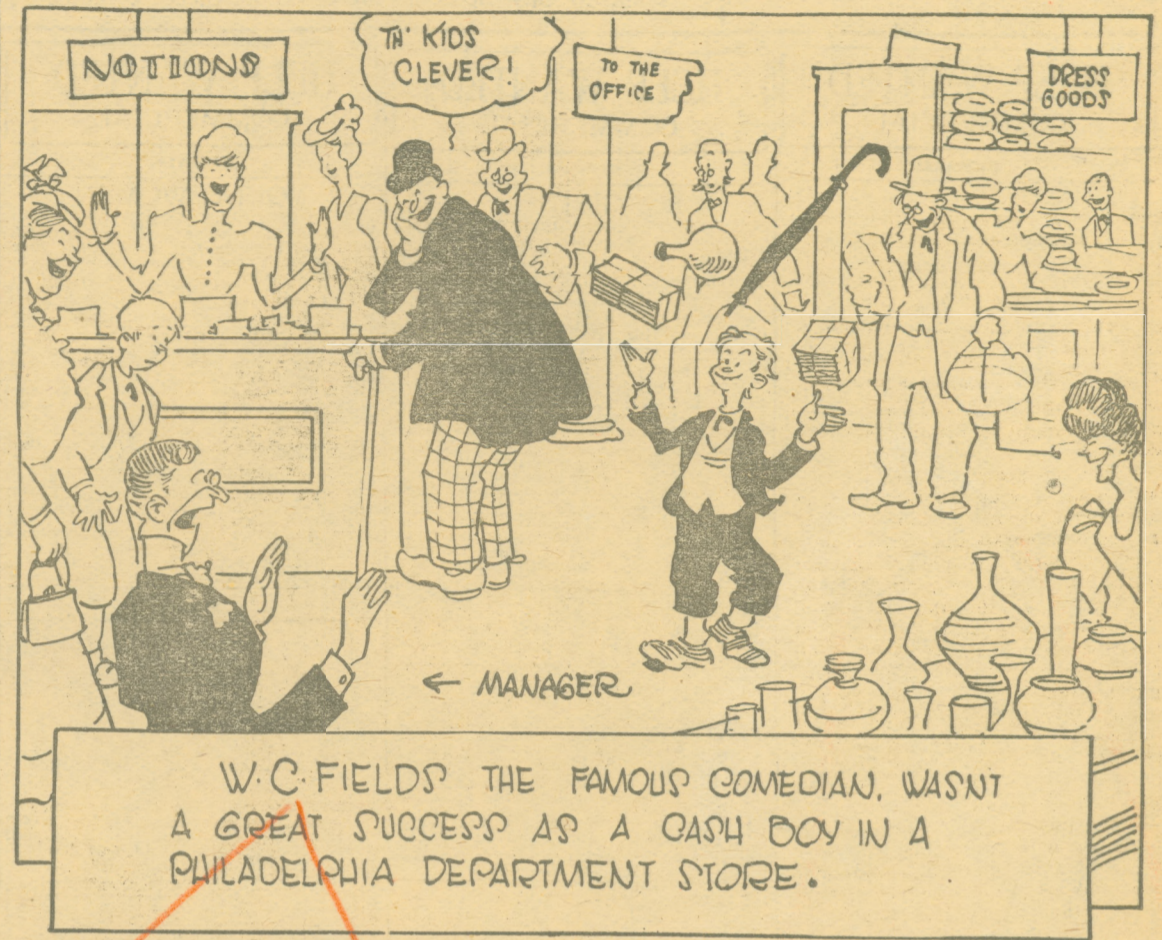
Texas Gulf Sulphur began an advance in the second hour which placed it above 168 for a gain of more than a point.

### GETS 3 YEARS AS KILLER

ERIE, PA., Sept. 21 (By U. P.).—Norman Schraeder, of Buffalo, was found guilty today of voluntary manslaughter for the killing of John Hughes on the steamer W. W. Atterbury in Erie Harbor, May 10. He was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary.

## MAKING THE GRADE—

By Kessler



## Hunt Eyewitness To Murder of Hall

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by several of Capt. Regan's associates in the fire department.

Word was conveyed to Senator Simpson this afternoon that Henry Dyckman, former state trooper, recently discovered in an army prison in California, will reach Governors Island on October 1. He left New Jersey immediately after completing his investigation of the murders, leaving behind two pay checks due him as a trooper. He joined the army and later was arrested for desertion.

## NEW GRAND JURY TAKES OATH AT SOMERVILLE

Following are the members of the September grand jury, sworn in today by Supreme Court Justice Charles Parker at Somerville, N. J.:

Percival Snyder, foreman, executive, Bound Brook; Daniel Hoffman, merchant, Griggstown; the Rev. Lauren G. Bennett, clergyman, Basking Ridge; William D. Bancker, farmer, Bernardsville; Julius Stahl, official, North Plainfield; Jacob Shurts, retired, Somerville; Walter H. Whiton, farmer, Neshanic; Frank Ward, manufacturer, Bernardsville; Clarence R. Covert, merchant, Harlingen; Daniel Conroy, clerk, Somerville.

Gardner Hill, merchant, Gladstone; Clarence Smalley, county freeholder, North Plainfield; Harmon T. Stryker, executive, Somerville; Percival S. Brown, broker, North Plainfield; Joshua Brierley, architect, Bernardsville; John McGuinness, insurance agent, Bernardsville; Mrs. Jane Joliffe, housewife, Bernardsville; Michael J. Connolly, carpenter, Basking Ridge; John L. Caine, superintendent, East Millstone; George Bolmer, garage owner, Bound Brook; John Becker, retired, North Plainfield; Edward Garretson, official, Millstone; William F. Way, farmer, Martinsville.

### CONGRESSMAN RENAMED

NEW BRITAIN, CONN., Sept. 21 (By U. P.).—The Republican convention of the Third Congressional District today renominated unanimously Congressman E. Hart Fenn of Wethersfield for a fourth term.

## Fonck Flyers Killed in Crash

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again when he remembered the gully.

The delay had been fatal. The limping bird jogged, snorted and dipped out of sight of the alarmed spectators.

Then came the first tongue of flame from the gully.

An alarmed crowd of hundreds raced forward.

Two automobiles roared into high gear and with cutouts wide open hit a mile a minute for the three-quarter of a mile interval between hangar and ship.

Fear halted them. The gasoline had ignited. There might be an explosion.

### Plane a Cauldron

Fonck and Curtin picked themselves from the ground. Both acted automatically. They had been stunned. They turned to go back to the plane, now a cauldron. They were singed by the flames. They looked for Islamoff and Clavier.

They did not see them. They bowed their heads to the inevitable as they turned away, walking back to the crowd. Blood

Ambulances from Nassau County Hospital and the army air base at Mitchel Field came scurrying to the scene. Fire apparatus from Garden City, Mineola and Hempstead responded. They could do nothing.

poured down a cheek of the French flyer. The injury was not serious.

They were bundled into the plane and taken back to the hangar.

The crowd was horrified to silence. After the first shouts of

Crowd Horrified

terror there was only an occasional muffled whisper.

"To Paris! To Paris!" had been the cry a few moments before.

Two girls had rushed out and kissed Curtin. Sikorsky and his mechanics had glanced over the plane with affection and pride. The members of the Argonauts had pictured the triumphal landing in Paris.

Now this! At noon District Attorney Edwards revealed that no arrests

were contemplated, but that all connected with the enterprise would be asked to appear at the inquest. The bodies were taken to Turner's morgue in Westbury.

An examination was made of the runway which experts on the field said should have been longer and smoother. It was revealed that the auxiliary landing gear broke when the plane reached the first dirt road.

The left lower rudder and a pair of the left auxiliary landing wheels were found there and the right permanent landing gear lay nearby.

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